



EV368630073

4/A

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application Serial No.09/538,621
Filing Date 03/29/2000
Inventor..... Falcon et al.
Applicant..... Microsoft Corporation
Group Art Unit2134
Examiner Tongoc Tran
Attorney's Docket No. MS1-396US
Title: Methods and Arrangements for Limiting Access to Computer Controlled
Functions and Devices

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED JANUARY 30, 2004

To: Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Alexandria VA 22313-1450

From: Nathan R. Rieth (Tel. 509-324-9256; Fax 509-323-8979)
Customer No. 22801

RECEIVED
APR 12 2004
Technology Center 2100